

DEMOCRATS IN CONVENTION TODAY

Virgil Rule Chosen Temporary Chairman.

ADJOURNMENT AT 12:30 P. M.

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER

BY CHAIRMAN B. P. TAAFFE.

Former Mayor Noonan Applicant for Court of Criminal Correction Judgeship Stated That Judge Claiborne Would Present His Name.

The Democratic city convention at the Coliseum was called to order at 11:45 this morning by Chairman B. P. Taffee of the city central committee.

Virgil Rule was named as temporary chairman and William P. Lightholder as secretary, with August Priesterbach as sergeant-at-arms.

Frank Riley, James Carroll and C. P. Starnes were named as assistant secretaries.

Former Mayor E. A. Noonan, aspirant for the nomination as judge of the Court of Criminal Correction, was present, and stated that he had not withdrawn from the contest for the nomination.

"Judge Claiborne will present my name for the nomination," said Judge Noonan, "and Judge Thomas Morris will probably second it. I do not now expect to address the convention, but may decide to tell them what I think of the course the party is taking."

Judge Noonan's candidacy is believed to have been disposed of by the efforts of Democrats who threatened to nominate an independent candidate for the criminal correction bench if he were placed on the ticket.

The convention adjourned at 12:30 o'clock for lunch, and convened again at 2 o'clock.

An agreement which has been reached between influential politicians makes the selection of the ticket a matter easily forecasted.

It is practically settled that the ticket will be as follows: Circuit judges, Daniel G. Taylor, Jesse McDonald and Robert M. Foster; clerk of the Circuit Court, William Hauschulte; recorder of deeds, Paul Young; probate judge, Thomas J. Crews; sheriff, Joseph Dickmann; coroner, Robert M. Funkhouser; clerk of the Criminal Court, Casper Wolf; clerk of Court of Criminal Correction, John J. Clifford; judge of the Court of Criminal Correction, Hiram Moore; prosecuting attorney, Charles F. Williams; assistant prosecuting attorney, J. D. Dalton.

Festus J. Ward probably will be chairman. Nominating speeches will be made by the following Democrats: Taylor, by Edward S. Robert; Foster, by Judge J. McKieghan; Hauschulte, by Virgil Rule; Young, by Alexander DeMott; Crews, by Moses Sale; Funkhouser, by Dr. J. H. Simon; Manton, by James R. Kinealy; Clifford, by Tom L. Anderson; Moore, by Thomas B. Harvey; Williams, by Joseph A. Wright; Dalton, by Judge J. C. Jones.

LEMP ARRESTED AT PRIMARIES
Was Taken in Custody and a Revolver Found on Him—Warrant Refused.

Democrats elected a new central committee and delegates to Wednesday's city convention at primaries held Tuesday. These were attended by contests which made them lively in every ward and turbulent in some of the wards.

In the Ninth ward, the home of breweries, the house of Busch defeated the house of Lemp, and August Busch was elected congressman to succeed himself, while Charles A. Lemp, who had endeavored to wrest the honor from him, was arrested on the charge of carrying concealed weapons and was held at the Wyoming street police station until the election was over.

Police Capt. Schroeder applied this morning for a warrant against Mr. Lemp for carrying a concealed weapon. Mr. Lemp appeared in person and told Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson that in his opinion any man has a right to carry a revolver when he believes that his life is in danger.

Mr. Johnson replied that he held the same opinion, and he declined to issue the warrant.

In the Twenty-eighth ward the battle, instead of being waged by brewers and malsters, was between rival street railway companies. The Suburban railway force of employees and sympathizers won from the Transit company, and John J. Lavin, whom General Manager Thomas M. Jenkins of the Suburban had favored, was chosen to succeed T. J. Mulvihill, who was regarded as the candidate of President Murray Carter of the Transit company.

In the Fourth ward Mike Kinney won the committee honors from "Cuddy Mack." The Twenty-sixth ward also had a bitter battle, and here as in the Ninth the judges of the worsted faction refused to sign the returns, leaving a contest which had to be decided at the office of the election commissioners.

The contest in the Twenty-sixth was between Police Commissioners Hawes and Blong. Hawes secured the election of Phil Dwyer as committee man, and Blong a candidate for justice of the peace, William J. Hanley, who also was winner, so that the rival leaders divided the spoils of victory.

GEN. BRAGG TRANSFERRED.
Sent to Hong Kong as Consul-General of That Port.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Gen. Bragg, consul-general at Havana, has been transferred to the post of United States consul-general at Hong Kong, taking the place of William A. Rublee, who has been transferred to the consulate at Havana.

Gen. Bragg made himself obnoxious to the Cubans by a statement contained in a letter to his wife which found its way into the newspapers.

NEW BRAKE SAVED THIS GIRL Quick Stopping of a Suburban Car Prevented Her From Probably Fatal Injury.



HAZEL BUTLER.

An airbrake which stopped a Suburban car within 30 feet, saved the life of Hazel Butler, a 9-year-old child, who was wedged in the fender of the car at Fifteenth and Wash streets, Monday afternoon. The fender kept the child from the car wheels, but her head was bumped along the pavement for a short distance. The high-power brake stopped the car almost instantly and the little girl was not seriously injured.

TINY TOMMY SAVED BY FENDER Cass Avenue Car Hit Small Boy, Who Will Soon Be Ready for Another Accident.

Tiny Tommy Augustine tried to follow his larger brother, Leo, across the street in front of their home, 141 North Eighth street, yesterday afternoon, and was thrown to one side by the fender of a Cass avenue street car.

The motorman had seen the children playing in the street, and had slowed up Tommy, who is 3 years old, was only slightly bruised about the head, and will be all right in a day or two. He was carried home by John A. Logan at 141 North Eighth street, who saw the accident.

FAIR WEATHER, FAIR-WEATHER Clear Skies Will Continue for Another Day at Least, So Dr. Hyatt, the Prophet, Foretells.

Dr. Hyatt of the weather bureau promises a continuation of the fair weather, which is also St. Louis fair weather.

The forecast for tonight and Thursday calls for clear skies and a moderate temperature. This morning the mercury registered 54 degrees at 7 o'clock.

There has been very little rain in the United States during the past 24 hours. Dr. Hyatt says the rain supply gave out last week.

There is a high barometer over the central valleys and the northern Pacific states. The lower region, barometrically, is over the upper lakes.

DO YOU WANT A \$1000 A YEAR? Civil Service Examination for Messenger in the Subtreasury in St. Louis.

A position paying \$1000 a year is open to the man who passes the best civil service examination for the post of messenger in the United States subtreasury in St. Louis.

The examination has been set for Nov. 11. Men 20 years old and more are eligible. Rigid tests of character and purity will be applied, and three years' previous experience in similar duties will be required of all taking the examination.

The examination will consist of the following subjects: Spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy, copying from rough draft, experience.

Persons who wish to compete should apply at once to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C., or to the secretary of the local board of examiners at the subtreasury in St. Louis, for a copy of the manual of examinations.

OH! THE HORROR OF IT Pat Land Didn't So Much Mind Getting Licked, but by a Chinaman? Ugh!

"I don't so much mind getting licked," remarked Pat Land to Judge Sienner of the City Hall police court this morning, "but I do mind getting licked by a Chinaman."

Mr. Land lives at 1346 North Garrison avenue. Sam Hee, a laundryman, has a place near Twenty-first and Market streets. The Irishman and the Chinaman met on the street about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning and engaged in a fracas.

The storming of Pekin was mild compared to the assault made by the laundryman on Pat Land. Each did his best to whip the other and the Chinaman won. He placed his opponent beyond combat by many hard knocks on the head, and he also caused Land's hands and arms to require bandages.

Both were arrested. The Chinaman obtained bond, but Pat Land spent a night in the lockup.

In the morning the case was continued to October 10.

MORE ILLINOIS MINES SOLD. Consolidation of Coal Interests in Southern Section Expected.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Oct. 8.—The Brown Mine, in Perry County, and at least one other, has been purchased by the Weaver Coal Co. of Chicago, consideration \$100,000. A million dollars has been invested by the company in the Illinois Steel Co. and other mines of the company have also been purchased. The company has been purchased by the Weaver Coal Co. of Chicago, consideration \$100,000. A million dollars has been invested by the company in the Illinois Steel Co. and other mines of the company have also been purchased.

LIONESS FOUGHT AND SEVERELY INJURED TRAINER IN CAGE

Red Hot Irons All That Saved James Dyer's Life at Lemp's Park.

BEAST HAS KILLED TWO MEN

DYER WAS TRYING TO MAKE HER PERFORM WHEN ATTACKED.

Animal Sprang at Him and Bore Him to the Ground and Was Clawing Out His Life When Aid Came.

By the use of red-hot irons shown at the Lemp's Park Carnival rescued Trainer James Dyer yesterday afternoon from a vicious lioness which had thrown him on the floor of the caged arena, and, catlike, was playing roughly with him before he expected meal of human flesh.

The lioness, which attacked and nearly killed Dyer, has slain two former trainers and one grizzly bear, and has a bad record for maiming spectators who have wandered too near the bars of her cage. Because of her bad reputation she was given hours to leave Germany, and her present owners, the Gaskill-Mundy Carnival Co., secured her almost as a gift.

That Trainer Dyer was not added to the list of Spitfire's victims is due to the promptness and courage of P. J. Mundy, manager of the wild animal exhibition, and Trainer Bobby Mack. Mundy entered the cage and drove the animal back to its corner, aided by Mack, who piled a red-hot iron from the outside.

Trainer Dyer had long been ambitious to subdue Spitfire and to make her stand on pedestals and perform simple tricks, as do the other lions in the show. Warnings of the animal's savage propensities from those who had known her longer did not keep him from trying the dangerous experiment Tuesday afternoon.

The cage in which the lioness is usually kept was moved to the door of the large caged arena in which the wild animals perform, and Spitfire was admitted to the ring. Dyer came into the large inclosure at the opposite side, and holding out his whip, motioned the lioness to the pedestal.

BEAST DID NOT OBEY.

Spitfire did not obey, but she did not show violent resistance, and when Dyer approached nearer she placed one paw on the small stand.

Only a little coining, Dyer thought, was necessary to complete the trick. He went nearer the savage pupil and placed the end of his whip under another paw to raise it upon the stand.

Over the low pedestal the raised paw lingered for an instant, as if obedience had been won, then the naked claws made a sudden reach for the trainer and the red jaws snapped as Spitfire sprang at Dyer.

A chair was in the arena, within reach of the trainer's hand, and Dyer, who had often before used this form of defense successfully, grasped the back and turned the legs against the attacking lioness.

With a sweep of her front paw the lioness bore the chair from Dyer's hand, and he was left without other defense than his whip. This he was not given time to use, as the maddened creature was upon his shoulders.

With only a low and guttural growl the lioness bore her victim to the floor of the cage, tearing his shoulders and his side as he fell.

While the trainer lay helpless, face downward, Mack, who had been watching his experiment, had seized the red-hot iron which is always kept in readiness. Manager Mundy stepped inside the cage and fired a half dozen blank cartridges from his revolver.

RELEASED HER PREY.
Spitfire released Dyer and started for the manager. She was diverted by Mack, who pushed the glowing iron through the cage bars and against her side.

Dyer jumped through the open door of the cage and was followed by the manager. Mundy drew the cage door hurriedly behind him, and the door shut with a clang as the lioness threw herself against it. One of Mundy's fingers was caught and bruised by the door, but he was out of reach of the animal's paws before she could exact revenge for the loss of her victim and for her singed coat.

Spitfire killed her first trainer, Max Pappe, in Hamburg, Germany. After she had torn a spectator the German authorities required that she be taken out of that country.

In London she killed Trainer Fred Woods. In San Francisco she killed a grizzly bear after a four-hour fight. Her latest outbreak, until Tuesday, was at Jacksonville, Fla., where she maimed a spectator by a blow delivered through the bars.

Dyer, though badly wounded, refused to let Dr. Becker, the surgical attendant on the grounds, cauterize or dress the wounds, and refused to go to a hospital. He bears 27 scars from previous encounters with lions, tigers and hyenas, and his most serious injuries heretofore were received in a battle with a baboon.

TIGER ATTACKED HER TRAINER While Hundreds Looked Angry Beast Leaped on Man, but Showman Rescued Him.

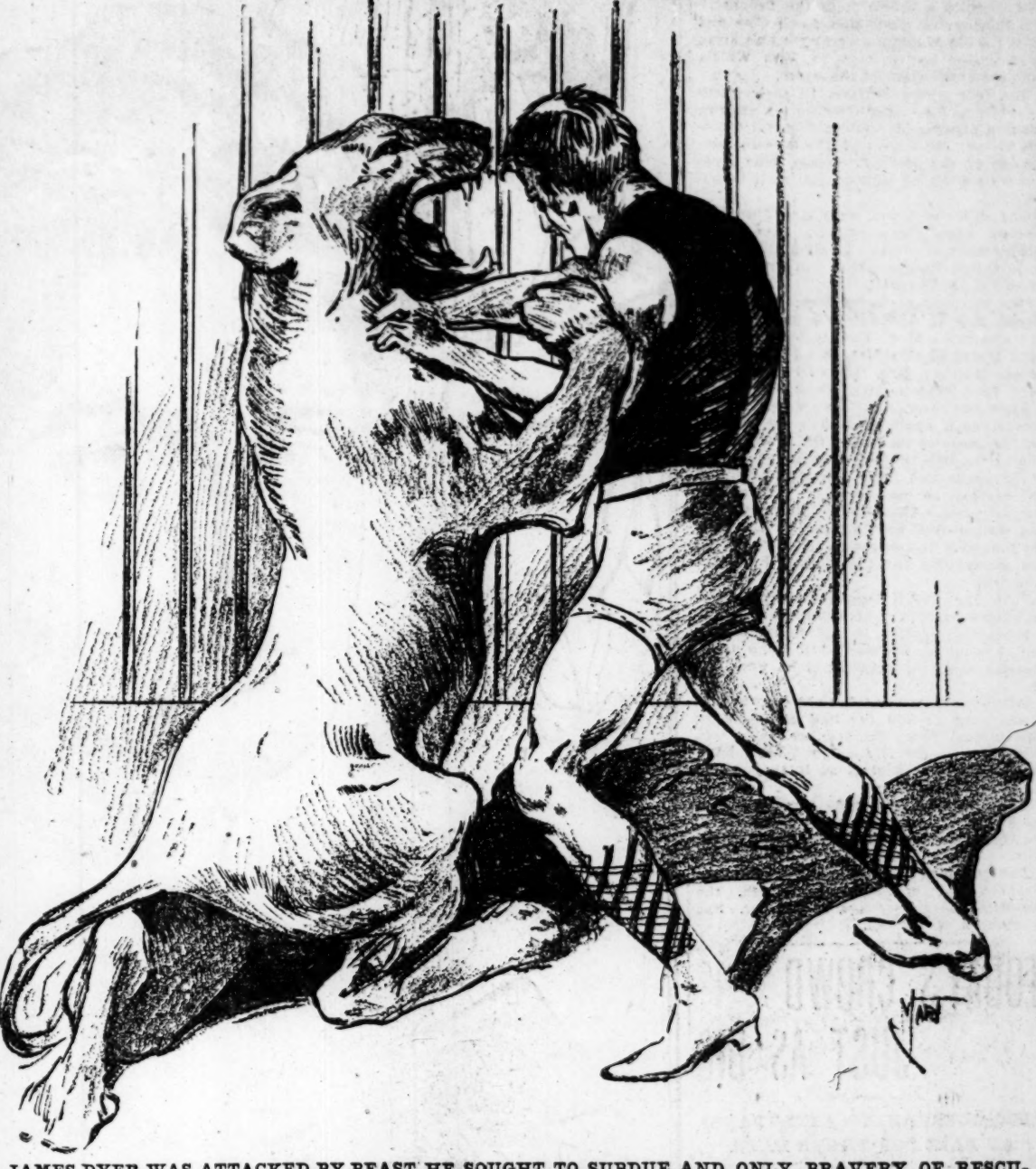
Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—While hundreds looked on a Teroloco Bengal tiger attacked her trainer, Herman Weidman, last night at St. Nicholas Gardens, an attaché of the show would have killed him.

The lioness, which has been regarded as dangerous, for she had grown to hate her master. The trainer, however, had a gun, and he shot at the animal, but he entered the cage, and he also caused Land's hands and arms to require bandages.

Both were arrested. The Chinaman obtained bond, but Pat Land spent a night in the lockup.

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FIGHT IN LIONESS' CAGE AT LEMP'S PARK.



JAMES DYER WAS ATTACKED BY BEAST HE SOUGHT TO SUBDUCE AND ONLY BRAVERY OF RESCUERS SAVED HIS LIFE.

Sketches by a Post-Dispatch artist from descriptions by spectators.

CRONIN ASSUMES JUDICIAL ROBES

Seems to Feel as if He Were There Already.

SIGNED HIS LAST BAIL BOND

James H. Cronin is going out of the saloon business Nov. 4, the day he expects to be elected to serve as a justice of the peace. He has signed his last bail bond, which was that of Charles A. Lemp, arrested Tuesday, charged with repeating at the primary polls.

These statements were made to the Post-Dispatch by Mr. Cronin himself Tuesday morning in his saloon, opposite the main entrance to the City Hall.

"I am as good as nominated," said Mr. Cronin. "Look at my opponents. Wells is a barber; Coffey, who is a relative of Father Coffey, is a cooper. What chance have they got to be nominated? I'll be nominated."

"I'll be a justice of the peace and I'll make a good one. The nomination is equivalent to election in this district. When I am elected I'm going to cut out the saloon business. It isn't doing for a judge to run a saloon. And I've done with the ball bond business after today. The last bond I went on was for Charles Lemp last night."

Mr. Cronin is so sure of nomination and election that while he has already closed up his somewhat extensive and lucrative business of signing bonds for Four Courts prisoners, he will continue to run his saloon until the eve of his election to the bench.

SAMBO WON FIRST RACE

Sister Sarah Ran Second and Dr. Scharff Third.

MANY COUNTRY-FOLK PRESENT

PAIR GROUNDS, St. Louis, Oct. 8.
The day was perfect and the track was at its best.

The attendance was very large, composed chiefly of country folks and visitors to the fair, which numbered several thousand.

FIRST RACE, six furlongs—Sambo 110 (Dale), 4 to 1; Sister Sarah 100 (Miller), 5 to 1; second, Dr. Scharff 107 (Waldo), 5 to 1; third, Time 1:30 1/4.

Almanzo, Mayor Johnson, Aransas, Hain, won by a neck in a hard drive.

TODAY'S FAIR GROUNDS SCRATCHES

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
Scratches today at the Fair Grounds are as follows:
Second race—Royal Penny, Alpen, South race—Bacchan.

NOTHING TO ARBITRATE.



The baron is well satisfied, And sits around in state, And smiles derisively and says: "Nothing to arbitrate."

The shivering public, looking in, Its wrath will not abate, And may convince him that there is Something to arbitrate.

THURSDAY'S FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES AND THE POST-DISPATCH SELECTIONS

First race, one mile and an eighth, selling:	
797 Veritable Boy	105
828 Joe Collins	104
774 El Ghor	99
813 Fox Spray	107
828 Little Tommy	105
831 Charles D.	107
832 Kinross	102
817 Rochester	100
776 Debrairie	102
778 Verda	102
798 Invictus	107
Second race, one mile and seven-eighths, selling:	
790 Kilrush	91
828 King Julius	100
830 Russell	100
790 Russell	114
828 Belle Haven	100
838 Spurr	105
814 Grady	112
798 Invictus	107
Third race, five and one-half furlongs, selling:	
800 Little Britton	96
790 Mabel Harv	100
828 Chief Parson	100
790 Goo-Goo	107
791 Hotel	110
818 Light Opera	108
800 Antioch	100
814 First Love	107
814 Grady	112
798 Invictus	107
Fourth race, one mile and ten yards, St. Louis Fair selling stakes:	
790 Kilrush	91
828 King Julius	100
830 Russell	100
790 Russell	114
828 Belle Haven	100
838 Spurr	105
814 Grady	112
798 Invictus	107
Fifth race, six furlongs, selling:	
790 Pennant	100
810 Valerius	101
810 Estel	100
810 King's Lady	96
806 Ma'melle	100
806 Barnacle	100
806 Laron	100
803 Canalis	101
790 Hapoy Chair	96
Sixth race, one and three-eighths miles, selling:	
811 W. B. Gates	107
807 Lucile	100
807 Zazel	107
798 Alice Turner	105
807 The Messenger	100
806 Croix d'Or	98
811 Clail	95
172 Placerville	100
794 Fisker	112
800 Antioch	100
814 First Love	107
800 Glenwood	103
Seventh race, seven furlongs, selling:	
798 Alice Turner	105
807 The Messenger	100
806 Croix d'Or	98
811 Clail	95
172 Placerville	100
794 Fisker	112
800 Antioch	100
814 First Love	107
800 Glenwood	103

THURSDAY'S FAIR GROUNDS SELECTIONS.

First race—Charles D., Little Tommy, Tucker, Joe Collins.
Second race—King Julius, Russell, Kilrush.
Third race—Hotel, Lassar, Ruth L.
Fourth race—Schwalbe, Hayer, best, Alpen.
Fifth race—Happy Chappie, King's Lady.
Sixth race—Liddy Ellen, W. B. Gates.
Seventh race—Bacchan.

MINERS STAND OUT TO A MAN

Unanimous in Favor of Continuing the Strike.

TELEGRAMS SENT TO MITCHELL

LITTLE PROSPECT OF TERMINATION OF FUEL FAMINE.

Mitchell's Reply to the Proposition Made by President Roosevelt Has Been Sent to Washington, but Its Tenor Is Not Known.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 8.—The following official statement was issued from strike headquarters at 1 o'clock this afternoon:

"At 12:30 noon 50 telegrams had been received from as many mass meetings in various sections of the anthracite coal regions conveying the information that by unanimous vote of the men on strike, all of whom attended such meetings, it was resolved that the presence of the entire United States army in the anthracite coal regions would not induce the men to return to work until the demands of the Shamokin convention had been conceded, the strike called off by a delegate convention of miners or by the district and national officers."

Similar telegrams are constantly being received, and it is said every mining town will be heard from by 6 o'clock tonight.

President Mitchell has written his answer to President Roosevelt, but he declines to state what its nature is. The letter was dictated before noon and is now in the mails on its way to Washington.

Mr. Mitchell will not give out the text of the letter, because it would be discourteous to the President, and whatever information the communication contained must come from Washington. In view of the statement issued by President Mitchell at 1 o'clock today, it is hardly likely that the proposition of Mr. Roosevelt for the men to go to work and have the conditions in the coal regions investigated afterward has been accepted.

President Mitchell and three district presidents left for New York at 2:30 p. m. on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. They are due in New York at 8:30 tonight. President Mitchell and his associates refused to see what their mission was, who they will meet or where they will stop in New York, and also declined to say when they will return.

OPERATORS MUST MINE COAL

If They Do Not Relieve Famine With Military Protection, Stone Will Adopt Other Means.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 8.—It is stated upon the highest authority that, if the mines are not opened and enough coal to meet the public demand is produced at the end of ten days, the governor will resort to other means more decisive.

This means that the operators must prove their ability to open up and work their mines.

If they do not, the state government will exercise the fullest extent of its power and compel the production of an adequate fuel supply.

The battle now on will cost Pennsylvania the lives of thousands of people, and the operators say they will settle it.

The operators say that with the military protection, they can mine coal and sell it at the coal famine. Gov. Stone's order is expected to prove quickly the correctness of their claim.

In ordering out the full state troops, Gov. Stone instructed the operators to return to work, and that only such men as are employed as mine coal as are licensed by the laws of the state.

Of this class of men, there are just 10,000. The other 100,000 men involved in the strike are helpers, passers, cartmen, drivers and other hands of the common labor type.

The real miners—those who actually mine the coal—number just 10,000.

In order to open the mines, the operators must secure the services of a sufficient proportion of these certified miners to produce an adequate coal supply.

The governor's personal instructions to Major General Miller, and to Brigadier General Schell, and to Brigadier General Schell, are that they are to see that there is fair play; that is, that all men qualified to work in the mines are protected if they desire to return to work, but not to interfere with the peaceful efforts of the strikers to induce men to stand firm against the operators.

OPINION OF ONE PARKINSON

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—President John Parkinson of the Boston Stock Exchange expressed much excitement when he declared that neither the public nor the President has any right to interfere in the coal strike and that Mitchell is to blame for the whole situation.

"What right has the public to interfere with coal business? The mine is a strike. If they do not receive enough to let them get out and let them take their place. When asked how he would do it if he himself could not get out Parkinson thundered:

"I don't take any stock in this fuel famine. Make these miners work. If they won't work have the United States troops drive them out."

STRIKERS SHOW NO WEAKNESS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 8.—Reports received at the strike headquarters indicate that when the locals meet this afternoon in response to Mitchell's call to reaffirm their allegiance to the union, the action will be unanimous and the course of President Mitchell will be vigorously denounced.

PRESIDENT GREETSTHE GRAND ARMY

Reviews the Veterans' Parade From His Carriage.

CARRIED FROM WHITE HOUSE

HISTORIC PROCESSION OF THE GRIZZLED MEN OF '61.

Carrying Flags That Waved Over the Battlefields of Vicksburg, Shiloh, Gettysburg, Stone River and Chickamauga.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—President Roosevelt today reviewed the Grand Army parade from his carriage. He was carried down stairs from his room on the second floor of the temporary White House, in an invalid's chair at 11:00 o'clock this morning, and amid the cheers of a large crowd was placed in the carriage, in which there was a board to support his injured leg. He was accompanied by Secretary Cortelyou and Col. Bingham, his military aid.

The carriage was guarded by a platoon of mounted police under command of Maj. Sylvester, superintendent of police. As the carriage appeared on the avenue the President was greeted with loud cheers. The President stopped at the reviewing stand for a moment until the marshals of the parade and Rawlins Post of Minneapolis, the right of line, had passed, and then drove down the avenue to the Peace monument at the foot of the capitol. The veterans faced the carriage as the President drove by and saluted him. There was continuous cheering from the crowds as the President drove along.

After the inspection by the President the remnants of the magnificent armies of Grant, Sherman, Thomas, Slocum and Sheridan, which participated in the grand review at the close of the civil war, again passed up the historic Pennsylvania avenue. The survivors of the bruised, black-haired legions who marched 24 abreast for two days before President Lincoln with banners in the muzzles of their guns and with victory and the hope of the future shining in their faces, had become old, white-headed men with their active service behind them.

Proudly aloft they held their tattered battle flags and the vast multitude through which they passed, seeing in the thinned ranks visions of the battlefields of Vicksburg, Shiloh, Gettysburg, Stone River, Chickamauga, Chancellorsville and Atlanta, and camp fires stretching from the Potomac to Florida, greeted them with cheers that drowned the blare of the bands.

MITCHELL IS A DIPLOMAT

Offered to Submit All Strike Questions to J. P. Morgan for Arbitration.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—It developed today that at one point of the conference at the White House last Friday, when the operators were bitterly and viciously assailing President Mitchell and his miners, Mitchell arose, and, pointing a finger at President Baer of the Reading railroad, exclaimed: "I am willing to submit the points of issue in this controversy to your own man, J. P. Morgan. If you say the word, and Mr. Morgan is willing, the miners will leave their cause to him. They are not afraid of him. They believe in his sense of fairness and justice, and will abide by his decision."

That was Mitchell's second tactical masterpiece. It won him the admiration of the President and the members of the cabinet who were present. They saw in the president of the mine operators a man of extraordinary genius and force of character. They had recognized him as incorruptible, but were unprepared for the exhibition of positive genius which he gave throughout the dramatic discussion which followed the reading of the prepared answer to the President's appeal.

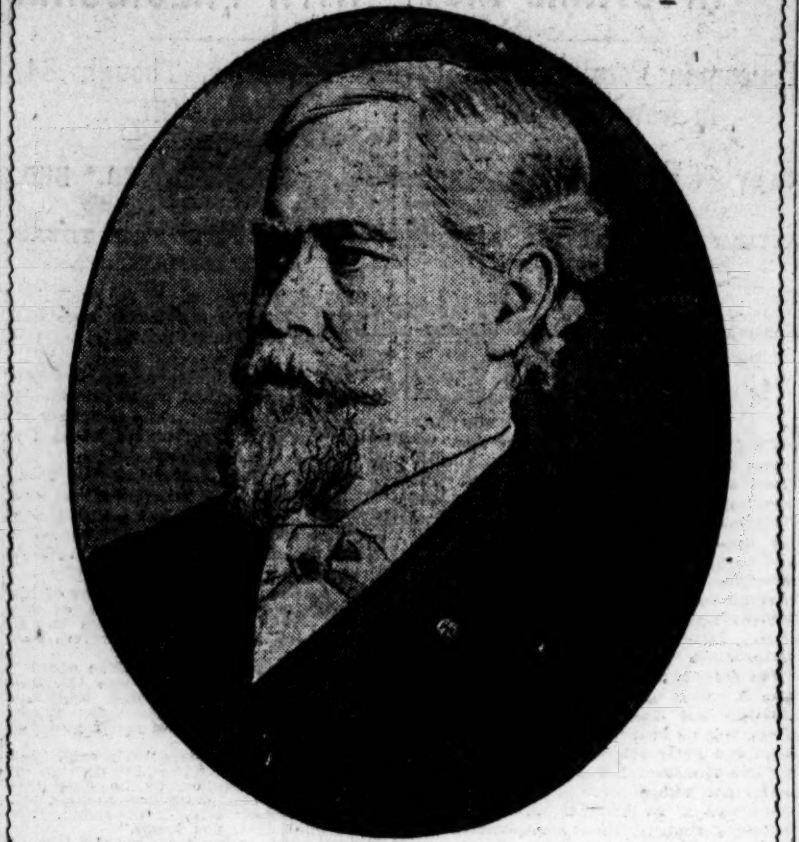
Mitchell had attained a high place in the minds of the officials of President Roosevelt's administration. To them he is a new and wholesome type of labor leader. They like the man; they like his character and his honesty; his stability to handle himself under trying conditions and his unwavering loyalty to the cause which he represents. If Mitchell were corruptible the strike would have ended long ago. Nobody doubts that. The operators are losing too much to permit small considerations to stand in the way of bringing to an end such a battle as they have been waging not only against the miners but against public opinion. Mitchell has brought to his feet an administration that has grown up in any country. The President is now eagerly seeking the friendship and co-operation of the leader of a labor union who voluntarily submitted to the reduction of his salary from \$100 to \$1000 per year because the union is engaged in a strike. Mitchell has a keener appreciation of the state of public sentiment than the railroad presidents who heaped abuse upon him. He also has a keener and better appreciation of the necessities of the public. President Roosevelt knows this and hopes that Mitchell may see his way clear to end the strike.

LADDER SLIPPED; THREE TELL

All the Men, Who Are Electricians, Were Injured at Seventh and Olive Streets Today.

By the slipping of a ladder scaffold at Seventh and Olive streets shortly before noon today Charles Acker of 2304 1/2 South Jefferson avenue was seriously injured and Hamilton Cherry of 3813 Finney avenue was quite badly hurt. The men are electricians employed by the Ames Electrical Appliance Co. They fell a distance of about 20 feet. Acker's head was severely bruised. Cherry received contusions on the legs. The men were taken to the City Dispensary for treatment and thence sent to their homes.

Probable Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic



GEN. JOHN C. BLACK.

When the first call for veterans came Gen. Black, then a young man, was a student at Wesleyan College, Indiana. He enlisted for three months' service as a private in Company I, Eleventh Indiana Infantry.

Private Black was made sergeant major of the regiment. His first engagement was at Romney, W. Va. At the expiration of his first enlistment he was elected its captain. When the regiment was organized he was elected major. From that time on his promotions were rapid. First he distinguished himself in action and was promoted to the position of lieutenant-colonel. There was another battle and he again distinguished himself. He was made a colonel. Later he was given the rank of brevet brigadier general. All of those promotions were his because of his gallant conduct.

He was appointed commander of pensions on March 7, 1885. He discharged the duties of that office in such a manner as to make him many more friends. In 1882 he was elected to Congress from the state at large, and three years later was appointed United States attorney for the northern district of Illinois. He served in this capacity for four years. He was for 12 years manager of the national home for disabled volunteer soldiers.

At the present time he is president of the board of trustees of the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and president of the Illinois Vicksburg Park Commission.

OIL FIELD FIRE.

Damage at Beaumont Placed at About \$150,000.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. BEAUMONT, Tex., Oct. 8.—The oil field fire last night swept the middle section of the Hogg-Swayne tract. Seventy-five derricks and pumping rigs and numerous set-

ting tanks were burned. The damage will probably reach \$150,000. Thomas S. Rowley, an employee of the Brice company, was fatally burned by trying to protect a derrick. He was at the top of the derrick attempting to throw precautions around it, when the derrick ignited and in a flash he was surrounded by flames. He fell to the ground, and fellow-workmen rushed into the flames and dragged him out.

BLINDNESS CURED BY NEW INVENTION.

Remarkable Discovery, Which Restores Eyesight and Cures Afflictions of the Eye, Used by Dr. J. Harvey Moore, the Eminent St. Louis Oculist.



Dr. J. Harvey Moore Applying New Invention.

Dr. J. Harvey Moore, the eminent oculist, who has made himself famous for the many cures which he has effected in diseases of the eye, has again created a sensation in the scientific world. He has introduced into St. Louis a delicate machine which, without risk or pain, exercises the Optic Nerve and Muscles in such a manner that Cataracts, Dimness of Sight, Weak Eyes, Near-Sightedness and Failure of Sight can be cured without the possibility of injury. This is the same treatment which cured United States Senator Money of Mississippi and is now being used on Sen-

ator Vest. Dr. J. Harvey Moore should have the thanks of St. Louisans for bringing to their very door this remarkable treatment, which in a perfectly harmless manner cures eye afflictions heretofore thought incurable. Dr. J. Harvey Moore is located Suite 208 Odd Fellows Building, corner Ninth and Olive streets, St. Louis, and for the benefit of our readers states that any one who will call upon him or write will receive consultation and his professional opinion absolutely free, also a full explanation of this remarkable treatment, which cures when all else fails.

"CHARLES F. KELLY!"

DEPUTY SHERIFF'S SONG.

And the Silence Could Be Heard in the Criminal Court Room.

HE CALLED FOR HIS BODY

BUT, PARADOXICAL AS IT MAY SEEM, KELLY BODIES ARE SCARCE.

Cases Were Those Against Kelly and Other Delegates Who Are Charged With "Misconduct in Office—Schnell and Geraghty Answered.

"Charles F. Kelly! Charles F. Kelly! Charles F. Kelly! Come into court and save your recognizance!" shouted a deputy sheriff Wednesday morning in the Court of Criminal Correction.

The deputy's tone was that of a man who performs a routine duty, rather than that of one who expects his command to be obeyed, and no one seemed surprised when Kelly did not "come into court."

The second part of the deputy's song was: "James F. Brady! James F. Brady! James F. Brady! Bring into court the body of Charles F. Kelly and save your recognizance!"

But the body of Kelly was not brought in, and the case against the fugitive delegate, in which he is charged with misconduct in office, went over until a later date.

The charge was brought in the good old days before the return of J. K. Murrell, and was based on Kelly's dealings with city in the matter of printing contracts while a member of the House of Delegates.

Brady, who is a steamship agent, signed Kelly's bond for \$1000. He is now charged with the forfeiture.

OTHER CASES CALLED.

The cases of Delegate Charles L. Geraghty and Councilman Louis Schnell, charged with similar misconduct, were also called Wednesday morning.

Schnell and Geraghty answered in person. There was a written motion to quash the indictment in the case of Schnell and a verbal motion, by Attorney John Muvi-

hail, to quash the indictments against Kelly and Geraghty.

Judge Clark said that he would make

a ruling in the case of Schnell, which would apply to Geraghty, but not to Kelly, since the latter had failed to appear. Attorney Muvihail contended that Kelly could appear by counsel, but this was not allowed by the court.

Kelly was in court when the case against the Murrell disclosures. He was served with a subpoena by Deputy Sheriff Sheehan in the corridor of the Court House, was permitted to go to the City Hall, and had not made his appearance since.

The prosecutions in these cases were conducted by Prosecuting Attorney Harry A. Clover, the circuit attorney's case having nothing to do with the matter.

AGAINST MONUMENT FOR LEE.

G. A. R. Veterans Grow Bitter in Discussing Proposition.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—Gen. Wilson and Capt. Potter revived the bitterness of civil war time during the discussion of a proposition to erect a monument to Gen. R. E. Lee.

Gen. Wilson said our monument should be to men who had assisted in keeping the flag flying, and not to those who would have pulled it down if they could have done so.

Capt. Potter intimated Gen. Wilson's sentiments on the flag question. He said he had been present when Joe Johnson surrendered to Gen. Sherman and then had heard Gen. Wade Hampton, in command of the Confederate cavalry, swear that he would lead the cavalry to Mexico before it should capitulate.

"Our soil," said the speaker, "is too pure to be used for the erection of a monument to any rebel."

COULDN'T READ SIGNATURES.

So Judge Wood Refused to Accept a Bond.

Judge Wood of the circuit court refused to accept a \$2500 bond offered in his court Wednesday by the attorneys of the Chicago & Alton railway, because he could not read the signatures attached to the document. He said a new bond must be secured. The bond was offered in the injunction suit brought against Simon Steiner, a ticket broker, by the railroad company.

FAST MAIL TRAIN WRECKED.

Freeman Was Killed and Engineer and Mail Clerk Injured.

GALVA, Ill., Oct. 8.—Fast mail train No. 2, southbound on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, was wrecked here last night. Fireman Mahlon Rands of the Burlington was instantly killed. Engineer C. B. Johnson was thrown through the window of his cab, but not seriously injured. One of the mail clerks sustained a few slight bruises. The locomotive was completely wrecked and the train of cars derailed. A coal gate had been dropped from the tender of a westbound train and lay down upon the southbound track. This caused the derailling of the fast mail.

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The Burlington's fast Denver train from St. Louis, at 2:15 p. m. today, lands you in Denver at 3:15 p. m. to-morrow,—with five hours' stop in Denver before departure of evening trains for the Coast. The Burlington's night "Denver Express" from St. Louis, at 9:00 p. m., arrives Denver the second morning.

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JOHN MITCHELL FOR GOVERNOR

Democratic Politician Urges Mine Leaders' Nomination for the Highest Office in Illinois.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, is being boomed for governor of Illinois by George Brennan, secretary of the Democratic state committee.

"Mitchell," said Brennan, "has risen in the estimation of the people in the last week to a wonderful extent, and I believe he could be elected governor of his state in 1904."

Since becoming the head of the miners' organization John Mitchell has kept out of politics, but his influence in preventing a strike of the soft-coal miners is appreciated by the bituminous operators in this state, and they, as well as the 45,000 miners, feel more than kindly toward him.

Mr. Mitchell's good record and the prominence he has achieved this year have turned the attention of the Illinois Democratic leaders toward him, and the suggestion of his name for governor is commended by the party leaders.

"GARLAND" STOVES AND RANGES

Awarded First Prize, Paris, 1900, Buffalo, 1901.

INDIANS AT FAIR GROUNDS.

Men From Osage Tribe Will Take Part With Rough Riders.

A number of Osage Indians from the agency at Pawhuska, O. T., will take part in the Rough Riders' exhibition to be held in the Fair grounds next Sunday afternoon.

The Osages will appear in their customary blanket costumes, and will be accompanied by Col. A. O. Mitchell, chief of the Osage and Indian Bureau.

A parade will take place Sunday, marching through the downtown district at noon.

MUST PAY TO SEE CHILDREN

COURT DECIDES D. D. WOOMER WILL HAVE TO DISBURSE \$2.50 WEEKLY.

WIFE HAS THEM IN CARE

Court Ruled Husband Would Have to Contribute to Their Support.

D. D. Woomer of 4317 Cote Brillante avenue will have to pay \$2.50 for the privilege of seeing his children once a week, according to the decision rendered by Judge Spencer Wednesday in the habeas corpus case brought by Woomer to recover possession of his daughter, Margaret, and son, Ogden, who are living with their mother, Mrs. Marie Woomer of 3234 Wisconsin avenue.

Woomer and his wife separated Sept. 7, after they had quarreled over money matters. Mrs. Woomer kept the children and her husband filed suit for their possession.

Judge Spencer denied his petition Wednesday. He ruled that if Woomer wished to see the children he should pay \$2.50 for their keeping. The court lectured husband and wife for allowing a difference about money to wreck their nuptials.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

A gem from Heaven in the form of a sweet little child is recognized by the parents as a sacred trust to be cared for and given generously to the world as a message of the Father's love to his children. Children, strong intellectually and physically is a duty every pregnant mother owes society. MOTHER'S FRIEND is a soporific or sleep producing element externally applied that will give the expectant mother nights of peaceful and dreamless rest, and if used diligently throughout gestation will soften all tensions, muscles and tendons straining with the burden, causing them to relax and become supple, supple and elastic. When you use this perfect remedy during childbirth or throughout the entire period of gestation you will be free of pain and bear healthy, clever children. Of druggist \$1.00 per bottle. Accept no substitute. Our book, "Motherhood," FREE.

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TOES OF STREET RAILWAY OWNERS

"Public, Courts and Juries" Arrayed Against Them.

PLAINT OF PREST VREELAND COMPANIES HARASSED BY NEW TAXES AND REGULATIONS.

Protest Against Attitude of Municipal Assemblies and State Legislatures Made in Convention at Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 8.—Over 700 street railway men were present in Light Guard Armory when the 21st annual meeting of the American Street Railway Association was called to order today.

President Herbert H. Vreeland of the association, who is the head of the Metropolitan Street Railway Co. of New York, briefly replied to Mayor Maybury's address of welcome, after which he severely arraigned the present-day attitude of the public, the municipal assemblies and the state legislative bodies toward street railways.

"Even in the courts and before juries there is an attitude of antagonism toward the railway interests," said Mr. Vreeland, "although in almost any suit at law other than one affecting our interests the first aim is to procure an unbiased jury, although the Supreme Court of the United States held that the income tax law was unconstitutional, many states discriminate against street railways by requiring them to pay additional taxes upon their gross earnings."

"I look forward eagerly to the day when street railway men will stand up for the interests of their corporations as firmly as they do for their individual rights."

President Vreeland declared that one of the points street railway men would have to gain in the near future was the free interchange of freight cars between electric and steam railroads.

President Vreeland showed that during the year 1929, the street railway industry had lost \$147,000,000 and the mileage by 1930 miles.

The report of Secretary-Treasurer T. C. Pennington showed that of the present membership of 191 companies, one is in Porto Rico, one in Mexico and five in Canada. The receipts of the association during the last year were \$378 and the expenditures \$559, the cash balance on hand being \$948.

TWO ENGINES WRECKED.

Unknown Man Killed in Collision of Freight Trains.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PEKIN, ILL., Oct. 8.—At 3:40 this morning there was a head-on collision of two Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis railway freight trains eleven miles south of Pekin, Ill. A man was killed. The firemen and engineers of both engines jumped and escaped with slight injuries. Both engines are totally wrecked, also many cars.

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PIANO—\$45 buys the piano with stool and cover. Schubert & Moxter, 2002 Franklin.

PIANO—\$135 buys the upright piano, with stool and cover. Schubert & Moxter, 2002 Franklin.

PIANO—\$400 buys a fine Stock piano grand piano, good as new, cost \$600, \$200 extra, a fine high-top organ; good looking, cost \$105, 1414 N. 10th st.

PUPILS wanted—For piano lessons; thorough; quick method; lessons, 20c. Call 3220 Locust av.

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PUPILS wanted—For instruction on the piano; terms reasonable. Miss Anna Mahaffy, 2709 Walnut st., a private pupil of Prof. W. A. Hildgen.

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ALONE SHE QUARRELLED OVER ICE CREAM FATAL ENDED HER LIFE

Ethel Bosley, Aged 16, Swallowed Carbolic Acid.

WAS FOUND UNCONSCIOUS. BREAD KNIFE THE WEAPON.

SHE SUFFERED FROM COUGH AND FEARED CONSUMPTION.

Ethel Bosley was refused permission to accompany her mother, Mrs. N. M. Bosley, and her sister, Sally, on a shopping expedition yesterday morning, and when they returned about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, they found her unconscious on the bed in her room.

A bottle which had contained carbolic acid stood beside the couch and told the story of self destruction. Physicians were summoned from the Children's Free hospital, Jefferson and Adams street, but despite their efforts the girl died a half hour after her condition was discovered.

FEARED CONSUMPTION.

Her mother can assign no other reason for her daughter's act than anger and disappointment over being left at the house, 1234 Adams street, while they went down town to experience the delight of making purchases, unless it was a horror of consumption. The girl, who was 16 years old, had suffered an attack of whooping cough several months ago and on several occasions she remarked that she believed she had contracted tuberculosis.

Whenever she read of a death by the disease she would worry for days and declare she would rather die than have consumption. Yesterday she asked to go out, but her mother advised her to remain and care for the house. The girl was heard to remark that it would be the last time she would be left in such a manner, but the hearer thought it was said from pique.

Miss Bosley told the servant at noon that she could have the afternoon to herself as she intended preparing her own lunch, and the servant departed. The girl went to Schute's drug store, bought a dime's worth of carbolic acid and returned home. She locked the door of her room and fastened the shutters. Then she lay on the bed and swallowed the draught which killed her.

Her mother and sister returned, but saw her nowhere about the house. They tried to enter her door but could not, and becoming alarmed, picked open the shutters and clambered in. The girl died without regaining consciousness. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Hunyadi Janos

Natural Laxative Mineral Water

It is the Best and Safest remedy for disordered stomach, biliousness and liver trouble, and it Cures Constipation.

Drink one-half glassful on arising in the morning and you will feel the remarkable and agreeable effects in a short time.

Always ask for Hunyadi JANOS (full name). If you simply ask for Hunyadi Water you may be imposed upon.

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Purely vegetable, mild and reliable. Regulate the Liver and Digestive Organs. The safest and best medicine in the world for the

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Of all disorders of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels, Kidneys, Bladder, Nervous System, Loss of Appetite, Headache, Constipation, Catarrhes, Indigestion, Biliousness, Fever, Inflammation of the Bowels, Piles and all derangements of the internal viscera. PERFECT DIGESTION will be accomplished by taking RADWAY'S PILLS. By so doing

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WHITE RIBBON REMEDY

No taste. No odor. Can be given in glass of water, tea or coffee without the patient's knowledge.

White Ribbon Remedy will cure or destroy the morbid appetite for alcoholic stimulants. When the patient is a confirmed insubordinate, a "tippler," a social drinker or a drunkard, impossible for any one to have an appetite for alcoholic liquors after using White Ribbon Remedy.

Addressed by Members of W. C. T. U. Mrs. Moore, press superintendent of Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Victoria, Cal., writes: "I have tested White Ribbon Remedy on very bad drunkards and it has cured them."

In many cases the Remedy was given to patients who had been drinking for years. The White Ribbon Remedy, however, cured them and they were able to live as sober and healthy as the rest of the world.

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LOUIS DECKER IS NOW IN JAIL

Attempted to Visit His Home Last Night and Was Arrested.

POLICEMAN WATCHED HOUSE.

THOUGHT HE MIGHT COME HOME DURING VEILED PROPHET'S CRUSH.

Believing that the police would be lax in their vigilance, as far as hoodlums are concerned, during the Veiled Prophet's parade, Louis Decker, one of the House of Delegates combine members, attempted to visit his family last night and was arrested by Patrolman Michael Hendy and Probationary Patrolman Lawrence E. Manion.

There is a reward of \$300 for his capture. The alleged hoodlum was taken to the Carondelet police station and later was transferred to the Four Courts, where he was confined in the holdover.

He evaded questions directed to disclose his hiding place since he has been a fugitive when asked by Lieut. McKenna, but when in the lockup stated that he had divided the time between the homes of his mother-in-law

and sister-in-law, having never been out of the city.

OFFICERS WATCHED HIS HOUSE.

Officers Hendy and Manion surmised that Decker might believe every available officer was on extra "Veiled Prophet duty" and would try to see his family, so they shadowed his home at 7623 Pennsylvania avenue. One of the policemen watched the front entrance and the other covered the rear exit.

About 10 o'clock a wagon was driven rapidly to the above address and a stout man alighted and entered the house. Manion followed and rapped on the front door. While the sound of his knock resounded through the dwelling the back door opened and Decker ran down the steps, through his back yard, across the alley, and into the rear yard of his sister-in-law's home at 1631 South Broadway. Here Manion was waiting him, and laying his hand on Decker's arm told him he was wanted at headquarters.

WAITING FOR BOND.

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MRS. REBECCA SIRE'S LONG LIFE IS ENDED

SHE WAS A ST. LOUIS BELLE IN 1836.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BARNESVILLE, O., Oct. 8.—Senator Hanna denies that he challenged Tom Johnson to a joint debate on the tariff. He says his words were misconstrued. Senator Hanna spoke here to a large crowd and again defended the trusts on the theory that there is none; hence they need not trouble Americans.

"Mr. Johnson says the tariff is the mother of the trusts," said Mr. Hanna. "I say the tariff has nothing to do with them, and that the so-called trusts were in existence 20 years ago. The trusts referred to by him are imported articles."

"Two years ago I took the breath away from certain people by stating that there were no trusts in this country, and I will say now that, if there is such a thing, it will be taken care of when the proper time comes."

"Take the so-called steel trust for instance. That is the greatest combination of capital ever gotten together; its resources are stupendous. Great as it is, it produces only a little more than one-half of the iron and steel products of the country, and it may surprise you to learn that the independent companies since the first of the year have advanced prices until, at the present time, they are getting 10 per cent more than the trust is getting."

The senator said that tariff revision would affect every state in the Union and nobody would know where it would begin or where it would end.

"But I know," he went on, "where the Republican party would end. It would end in the ditch."

When Mrs. Sire married Auguste Chouteau she lived at Seventh and Olive streets and had only recently leased this place of the William Barry Dry Goods Co.

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